

Our Boys and Girls at Lawrence
Barton County sends eight students to the University of Kansas this year. Of these Hoisington sends one, Claude Doty who is in the medical school, one of the best students in that department. Ellinwood has one representative, Milton Bosse. He is a junior in the college. Mr. Bosse is a member of the Phi Delta Gamma fraternity, which the Russels and Ed Moses, Jr. belonged.

Charlie Hooper is a sophomore in the medical school. He is a good student and is doing fine in his work. Charlie is a member of the Buchanan club, one of the best clubs socially in the university.

Great Bend is apt to be proud of one of her representatives at the university who is fast developing into a debator of no mean ability. Charles Carroll is a member of the Kemp club, a debating society. He is also a member of the Debating Council, which controls all affairs relative to inter-scholastic debates.

Roy McMullen is a freshman in the college. The time has been too short for him to have done anything brilliant.

Norma Mering is a sophomore in the college. She is very popular among the young men.

Pearl Emley is the musical star from Barton county. She has played in chapel and is working giving a recital in the near future. She graduates in the spring.

Will Charles, a freshman in the college, has shown the proper spirit because he wears a freshman cap as commanded by the upper class men. "Bill" is making good. He is loyal to the football team, going to Nebraska to see them whip the cornhuskers and seeing the annual

"clean up" at Kansas City. Stella Corneli is a sophomore in the college. She is secretary of the Sophomore class.

Short Stories

"Did you ever notice," said a professional man yesterday, "how loyally your ne'er do well' boyhood friends hunt you up, when they come to town and recite incidents of other days?"

"A member of that class found me one day last week. Although he had grown out of my recollection, he had my biography at his tongue's end.

"Why, hello," he began, 'don't you remember me? No! I knew you when you were knee high to a grasshopper. I was in the old town a while back, saw your father and sister, and as I was coming this way wanted to be sure to see you and congratulate you on your success in life. Recollect 'Dude,' your Indian pony that I broke to ride? She threw all the yokels, but when I slapped my saddle on her slid into it the stuff was off. Those were great days. Would have stayed there this winter, but the town's 'dry' now. Well I have a job here, going to work Thursday. Of course, I do drink a little, but I'm always on the square. Can't you let me have a dollar. I'll return it Saturday night sure. You're a good fellow."

"I came across—how could I help it—and he is hunting another sucker."

She—If a man loves his wife as much as she loves him, he will stop wasting his money on cigars if she asks him.

He—Yes, but if his wife loves him as much as she ought to love a man who loves her enough to stop if she asks him, she won't ask him!

"When young fellows get a courtin'," said Farmer Cornassel, "they sure goes plumb crazy, an' that boy Sam o' mine ain't no exception."

"So Sam's started, eh?" queried the nearest neighbor. "Started! I should say so!" exclaimed Farmer Cornassel. "Why, didn't he go inter town yesterday an' blow in half a dollar for a toothbrush!"

Persistency.

Kansas has 136,191 sheep, the smallest number since 1875, but there are 170,000 dogs.

The constant drop of water wears away the hardest stone; the bees in multiplying after while, will have to swarm, the weather bureau's forecast, oft repeated brings the storm.

And so it is in Kansas, where the Coburn figures knell the passing of the shepherd from the hill and from the dell. The dogs are gaining yearly and allowed to gad about and it won't be very long until the sheep are all run out.—Drovers Telegram.

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Country Butter	25c
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There is Lots of Fun in Making Christmas presents

And there is lots of good common sense used in buying them. For instance here is a lady who buys her husband a box of cigars for a Christmas present. Practical isn't it? And we have heard of young ladies buying their lovers a necktie, or a watch or a watch chain while they in turn have bought her a dress pattern or a bonnet, expecting it would not be lost in the future and both will get it all back. Well, it is nobody's business what you buy, just so you buy something. What pleases one will not another, but everything given is a gift and everyone who receives one will be thankful for it. That is why we have in our different departments presents useful, practical, ornamental and beautiful, and if you don't believe it, we would just like to have you ask Mr. Simmons to show you the latest fads in Jewelry, Watches, Clocks, Silverware, Cut Glass ware, etc., or ask Mr. Hammond or Mr. Ziegenbusch to show you the substantial presents in the hardware line, Dishes, Carving sets, Turkey sets, Individual sets, Water sets, or any other kind of set that you want, and when you are through with this line of presents, just ask Mr. Nimocks or Mr. Carson to show you Carpets, Rugs, Curtains, Tables, Chairs, Book cases, Pictures and Picture Frames or anything else that you want to make home pleasant and nice. Also ask Mr. Riddle to show you a Piano or Organ, Mandolin or Violin, an Edison or Victor Talking Machine. Having lots of fun with these in the homes that have them. Why shouldn't you?

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